

No year, April 28 Zeina (and Miriam?) to KF from Saltillo

My dear daughter Katrina. Happy to know you are OK. We sent a letter to Suleiman, via the hand of Georgie Saade. Through it, we told him that we have not known that things between you and our daughter Katrina were so far apart. What is your intention? We are organizing ourselves so we can leave within a month, if God wills. We have received a letter from your brother Mitri in which he tells us that within two weeks he intends to return (to Palestine). And I think they are now in the country. Please let me know how your health is, because I am worried about you. Greetings to you, my dear Julia, Mary and Fouad. - your sister Zeina.

P.S. (In the name of your mother and father) Greetings to everyone who asked about us.

Dear sister Katrina, May God protect her. Please know, my dear sister, that we are now packaging everything so we can go back home. I want to know how you are because you have gone back to the country and have seen the conditions there. Now I manage our work on this end and we have lots of customers. At the beginning, work was very difficult and I didn't not know how business was run. Now, nobody excels me in this profession. I am so sorry that we have to leave this shop, because business is successful and we have many customers. If you come here you will be successful Julia was born in Mexico, I think you can settle here in Mexico. And if you like, you can become my partner. I and Bichara are with you. And then his two sons will go back to the country. We want an answer before we leave so that we can plan. My heartfelt greetings to the family.

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